FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF	CHANGES I	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* JORGENSEN KAY S						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol BLACK HILLS CORP /SD/ [BKH]							(Che	elationshi eck all app C Direc	olicable)	ng Person(s) to 10%	Owner	
(Last) PO BOX	(Fi	rst) (I	Middle)			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/05/2005									Offic belo	er (give title w)	Oth belo	er (specify w)
(Street) RAPID C	DID CITY SD 577011400			4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line	ndividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable e) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
		Tabl	e I - Non	ı-Deriv	ative	Sec	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or E	3ene	ficiall	y Own	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execution Date,			3. 4. Securit Disposed Code (Instr. 8) 5,					Secur Benef	icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirec (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Code	v	Amount	ount (A) or (D)		Price	Transa	action(s) 3 and 4)		(1130.4)
Common Stock 10/05/2				5/2005	2005		I		16.27	16.279 A		\$43	6,0	068.472	D			
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		tr. 3	Price of erivative ecurity 1str. 5)		Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	of Share	es				

Explanation of Responses:

By: Lorna G. Zacher, by power 10/07/2005 of attorney

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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